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PASS: BY PHONE ASEN BALIKCI

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1. MFA REPORST SITUATION S.E. AFGHANISTAN TENSE DUE PAKISTAN
CLOSING BORDER TO NOMADIC MIGRATION. NORMAL LIFE ALL NOMADS IN
AREA SEVERELY DISRUPTED.

2. THEREFORE GOA WISHES BALIKCI POSTPONE VISIT THIS TIME.

3. GOA WISHES MAKE CLEAR, THIS NOT RPT NOT TO BE CONSTRUED AS
GOVERNMENT NOT APPROVING PROJECT. GOVERNMENT STANDS ON ITS APPROVAL
PROJECT, BUT TIMING NOT RIGHT DUE TO POLITICAL SITUATION.

4. GOVERNMENT, HOWEVER, CANNOT ESTIMATE WHEN TIME WILL BE RIGHT.

5. IF IMPERATIVE FILMING PROJECT BE DONE THIS YEAR, GOA WOULD
CONSIDER ANOTHER REGION AFGHANISTAN, E.G. BAGHLAN.

6. CAN BALIKCI SWITCH AREAS? IF SO, GIVE DETAILS SO AFAMEC
CAN SEEK GOVERNMENT CONCURRENCE SOONEST.
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